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Applicant : M. HOSOYA

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For : SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR UTILIZING RAINWATER COLLECTED AT  
BUILDINGS


**CLAIM OF PRIORITY**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby claims the right of priority granted pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 119 based upon Japanese Application No. 2000-368256, filed April 12, 2000. As required by 37 C.F.R. 1.55, a certified copy of the Japanese application has been filed in parent Application No. 09/842,378, filed April 25, 2001.

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